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ROWING ASSOCIATION AND A. A. U. COME TOGETHER ON QUESTION OF CASH PRIZES

purses, in the Regatta Day events, has decided to substitute trophies for purposes, in the Regatta Day events, to which the Hawaiian Amateur Athletic Association, the local branch of the Amateur Athletic Union, took exception. The advertisements will be changed to read, for instance, \$30 trophy, instead of \$30 purse, but the rowing association will hand over the cash to the winner and leave the purchase of the trophy to the latter's discretion. If a certificate of deposit looks like a suitable reward, that's up to him. How this will change the actual status of the meet is not quite apparent, but it is as far as the rowing association is willing to go, and may bridge the gulf that threatened to spring up between the Hawaiian Amateur Athletic Association and the A. A. U. organization with which they are affiliated.

This concession was decided on this morning, at an informal meeting of the Regatta Day committee of the Hawaiian Rowing Association, called to consider a letter from the H. A. A. A. warning the rowing clubs that members who took part in the regatta if cash prizes were offered in any event, were risking their amateur standing.

Yesterday the H. A. A. A. sent out a circular letter to the clubs having crews in the regatta, calling their attention to the fact that, while the A. A. U. did not have jurisdiction over rowing, the individual clubs of the Hawaiian Rowing Association were members of the H. A. A. A. for track, athletic and swimming purposes, and therefore subject to the rules of the organization. In explanation of this warning, the following rule of the A. A. U. was quoted:

"Any club, a member of the association of the A. A. U. of the United

States, which sanctions the competition of any member or any team under its club emblem, in unregistered sports or professional contests, or which persists in playing disqualified athletes, or which permits professionals to compete under its auspices in any competition in a sport over which the A. A. U. assumes jurisdiction, shall be liable to forfeit its membership in such association."

"I want it distinctly understood that the A. A. U. isn't threatening or banning, or even sanctioning the regatta," said President Tuttle of the H. A. A. A. "We are as keen to see it a success as anyone, but we want to see the local clubs protected. We don't want to run any chances of injuring the standing of the individual athletes, or of the local organization, which has already sent one world's champion to the mainland. If it hadn't been for the A. A. U., Duke would never have got his chance to go east, for his records would not have attracted attention outside the islands."

It is interesting to note, however, that under the strict interpretation of the very rules now under discussion, Duke lost his amateur standing last year, after he had made his swimming marks here. He was a member of the Hui Nalu canoe crew that won first place from the Outriggers, the first prize appearing on last year's list as \$30, and the second as \$15. On the winning crew with Duke were Vincent Genoves, who swam in the east as an amateur; W. Cottrill, J. Lishman, D. Keawemahi, and "Dude" Miller.

But anything for peace and a quiet life, and if the changing of a printed word can make the regatta straight and according to Hoyle, by all means let's have the word changed.

Joe Rivers Hit The Primrose Path Before He Fought Mandot

And so Joe Rivers, with probably as brilliant prospects as any fighter in the ring, has gone the way that many a good man has traveled before him. Reports from Los Angeles indicate that his wretched showing against Mandot in their Labor Day fight was due to dissipation and excesses, and that Rivers threw down his betting friends by breaking every training rule.

It is common gossip in Coast sporting circles that Rivers is following in the steps of Young Corbett, traveling so fast that his speed has singed the buds of the primrose path.

Here is what the Los Angeles Examiner of September 3 has to say of Rivers' actions:

In his battle Monday Rivers showed none of the tigerish aggressiveness that has featured his former battles. There was no snap to his punches, he did not use his hands cleverly and his marvelous footwork was conspicuous by its absence. The Rivers presented upon this occasion was an utter stranger to the Pacific Coast public.

Violates Training Rules. Up to last Wednesday Rivers' physical condition was perfect. He was beating up his sparring partners with a savage delight, and on his camp form alone he was made a heavy favorite in the betting.

From Wednesday night on, according to positive information, Rivers violated every training camp rule, when the thump of the punching bag gave away to the chug of his auto-

mobile and the fluttering of feminine veils. On the Sunday morning preceding the day of the battle Rivers is reported to have been putting the finishing touches to a joy ride at 6 o'clock. An east side druggist is willing to make affidavit that he fed the Mexican a dose of bromo seltzer late Sunday evening.

Joe Mandot is modest in victory. The French lad attended a matinee this afternoon, leaving it to his manager, Harry Coleman, to collect his pay check, arrange for theatrical dates, answer telegrams of congratulation and attend to other business. Wolgast-Mandot Match.

Although Rivers is clamoring for a return date and Mandot is inclined to grant it, the New Orleans lad wants Wolgast as his next opponent.

Coleman had a long talk with Promoter McCarney today, and the latter has promised to get Wolgast in the ring with Mandot on Thanksgiving Day if the champion is ready to talk business.

As Wolgast has already telegraphed his manager, Tom Jones, to secure the Mandot match, it seems that the negotiations must come to a head inside the next few days. Jones leaves Thursday for the East to talk things over with Wolgast.

Coleman paid his respects to Willie Ritchie in a way that leaves no mistake as to what his intentions are toward the San Francisco boy.

"Ritchie is making a bluff that he is a lightweight," said Coleman. "He must do 133 pounds ringside if he expects anything at our hands."

of the room without danger of being "beaten" down by a swinging ball. This should give the rollers more confidence in their delivery.

As the awarding of the prizes for the field day exercises tonight, Secretary and Mrs. Fisher will be the guests of the Palama Settlement. Following the giving of the prizes, R. K. Bonine will show several reels of motion pictures to delight the visitors and participants, and the Royal Hawaiian Band will give a concert. A general invitation is issued to the residents of the Palama neighborhood and everyone who is interested in the work of the settlement will be welcomed. There is no admission fee.

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WORLD'S SERIES TO OPEN OCT. 8

Ban Johnson Announces Plans for the Meeting Between Red Sox and Giants

ST. LOUIS, September 6.—The series for the world's baseball championship will begin October 8th, according to President B. B. Johnson of the American League, in a letter to a local paper. The American League pennant winners will not engage in a post season series with a picked team of the league, says President Johnson. Mr. Johnson's letter follows:

"A series of exhibition games for the championship of the American League at the close of this season would be impossible. In the East the championship race closes on October 5th and in the West on the following day. The series for the world championship will begin on Tuesday, October 8th. The only preparation the American League champions will make for this event will be to take a good substantial rest running through a period of two or three days."

CINCINNATI, September 6.—Chairman August Herrman of the National Baseball Commission, when seen today, said arrangements for the world's championship baseball series will be perfected at a meeting of the commission in Cincinnati on September 16th. He would advance no opinion as to the probable dates of the big battles.

ISLAND TEAMS WANT TO COME

The Maui and Kauai ball teams are sitting on their grips, ready to set sail for Honolulu at a moment's notice, to do battle with the diamond talent of the Oahu Senior League. But whether the wireless that would start the invaders will be sent or not, is a question which up to this morning had not been definitely decided. According to Manager Marcellino of the Senior League, there is a good deal of doubt as to whether the trip could be made to finance itself, on account of the counter attraction of Sunday, September 22.

"The Japanese flying machine man at Kapoli Park that Sunday afternoon will probably pull every Japanese in the city," said Marcellino. "The other teams are all ready to come at a moment's notice, and we are all ready to give them games, but with the best drawing day cut into by the other attraction, I don't know whether it could be made a go or not. The league management is going to talk it over within a day or so, and come to some decision. If Maui sends over a team it will probably be picked from the best players on the island, but Kauai is planning to send over the Kilaua team intact."

There will be no games of the Senior League at Athletic Park tomorrow. The J. A. Cs. have a regular Sunday off, according to the schedule, and the Asahis will not play out of respect to the funeral ceremonies of the late Mikado.

HOW THEY STAND

It's all over but the shouting in the big brush. The Giants and Red Sox have such a strangle hold in their respective leagues, that nothing short of a baseball miracle could pry them off the pennant at this late date, and arrangements are already being made for a meeting between the two teams in the world's series.

Now comes the question as to which team will walk off with the premier honors of the season. The "dope" reads in favor of the Boston aggregation, most of the disinterested experts picking Stahl's men to defeat New York. Of course, Giant fans can't see anything but the pets of the Polo Ground, while Red Sox supporters don't concede the National League champions even a smell.

Here is what an outsider, no less a baseball critic than George Stovall, of the St. Louis Browns, has to say about the Boston team, which he characterizes as the finest baseball machine ever welded together.

"Their offensive work is the attack of almost an irresistible machine, he says. 'There is not a weak hitter or a slow base runner from top to bottom of their list. On the defense they have the most wonderful outfield that ever played the game, and Wagner at short is a whole team in himself. Harrington is perhaps the headiest catcher in baseball. Joe Wood is a better pitcher than Walter Johnson, and Speaker is far more valuable than Cobb. O'Brien, Collins and Hall are all top notchers. 'Cady, the second string catcher, is the best backstop recruit of recent years. I believe they will beat the Giants with ease.'"

(Percentages September 7)

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	93	40	.699
Chicago	82	49	.626
Pittsburg	80	53	.602
Philadelphia	64	74	.464
Cincinnati	59	74	.444
Brooklyn	50	83	.376
Boston	41	91	.311

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	95	38	.714
Philadelphia	81	53	.605
Washington	81	55	.596
Chicago	64	70	.476
Detroit	62	74	.456
Cleveland	59	75	.440
New York	48	85	.368
St. Louis	46	87	.345

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Oakland	92	67	.579
Los Angeles	89	65	.578
Vernon	88	65	.575
Portland	63	77	.450
San Francisco	69	90	.434
Sacramento	57	94	.337

OUTRIGGER CLUB PLANS FOR NEW BATH-HOUSE

At a meeting of the directors of the Outrigger Club in the Public Service rooms yesterday, it was decided to begin work at once on the new bath house at Waikiki for the wives, daughters and mothers of the men and boy members. The new bath house is to contain twenty rooms and will be used as a continuation of the present bath house of the women's auxiliary.

Until the bath house is completed the lady members will have only the

BALL PLAYERS LAUNCH UNION

Much Talked Of Organization Is Formally Incorporated in New York

NEW YORK.—Major league baseball players formally launched their new protective organization Sept. 6. It is known as the National and American League Baseball Fraternity, and its certificate of incorporation was signed by Supreme Court Justice Delaney.

According to the petition for incorporation, its object is to foster fraternal feeling among the players in the two big leagues.

While the articles of incorporation have not been made public, it is generally believed the players intend for mutual protection to demand representation of their brotherhood in the councils of organized labor. The call for the organization resulted from difficulties of Ty Cobb, which precipitated a strike among the Detroit team in Philadelphia early in the season.

GOTHAM COPS HAVE NOTHING ON WOLGAST

CADILLAC, Sept. 6.—Ad. Wolgast's injured arm under the X-rays, today shows a slight fracture of the old injury he received in the Tommy McFarland fight shortly after he became champion. Wolgast is certain that he will be able to keep the McFarland engagement in New York, but his doctor is not so sanguine. The medical man said it will be at least a month before the arm is well. Wolgast sprang a new one today when he said that on account of not being able to exhibit the picture outside of New York State he would have to be paid \$7,500 extra before entering the ring. He has been guaranteed \$22,500.

An express train of the Northwestern railroad plunged down an embankment in the woods near Shawano, Wisconsin. Seven were killed and of the 21 injured, several fatalities are expected.

A 12-year-old boy of Sunnyvale, Calif., was shot by an angry farmer who found him stealing grapes from his vineyard. The boy will probably die.

privileges of the general lanai and restaurant, which is on the men's grounds, but after its completion they will have full privileges of the auxiliary.

At the meeting it was also decided to enter into contract with the Hawaiian Electric Company for the laying of complete underground wires for the purpose of effective illumination of the grounds when the occasion requires.

The club is in excellent financial condition, and with nearly seven hundred members. It is being planned to limit the classes to a membership of a thousand or twelve hundred, as the space for new bath houses is rapidly diminishing.

BRITISH PUBLIC TO BLAME FOR OLYMPIC TEAM'S POOR SHOWING

Commission Says Serious Interest in the Game Was Lacking Throughout Nation

LONDON, September 1.—Great Britain's failure to get better results at the Olympic games at Stockholm is explained today in the report of the British Olympic committee.

"It was not mere specialization which enabled Sweden and the United States to do better than the British empire," says the report. "The only winner of three gold medals came from Finland. The pentathlon and decathlon were won by an American who showed quite extraordinary all-round ability. Sweden won its points by cultivating every form of physical ability possessed by her inhabitants, and her strength and capacity as a nation have been enormously increased in the process."

The lack of serious interest in the games on the part of the British public is declared by the committee to have greatly affected the enthusiasm of the British competitors. Owing to want of funds these also were deprived of opportunities for training under trainers acquainted with the best scientific methods.

It rests with the British public, says the report, whether this state of things shall be remedied in the future.

M'LOUGHLIN BACK FROM EASTERN CAMPAIGN

When Maurice McLoughlin, the new national tennis champion in both singles and doubles, returned to San Francisco last week, he gave some interesting sidelights on the Eastern tournament season, and on his own campaign, which finally culminated in victory at Newport.

The Chronicle, telling of "Mac's" return to his home town, says: Although he was in good condition when he left home on July 14 for the Eastern circuit, he lost twenty pounds in weight before he won the championship match at Newport on August 30th. During his five-day trip across the continent, however, he regained ten pounds, and will no doubt make up the balance in short order.

He was fortunate enough to enjoy the best of health throughout his journey.

The challenge cups for the championship of America in both singles and doubles are being sent out to him and will be on exhibition in the city about a week from today. McLoughlin's hardest matches in the East were those played against W. J. Clothier and R. W. Williams. Clothier has, in McLoughlin's opinion, regained his best form of old times, and he made a great contest. Williams he regards as the most formidable of the Eastern experts, as he is now playing championship tennis, and at his age is certain to improve. He is a cool, clever, determined player, with fine physique and good habits, and has had the best professional training that could be obtained in Great Britain and on the Continent. With all that he is also a fine fellow and a thoroughly good sportsman.

Condition. Save Him. McLoughlin's condition stood him in good stead, particularly against Williams on the occasion of the second match at Newport, as the humidity and heat were almost unbearable.

In the final match of the singles championship Wallace Johnson, who pressed him to a five-set match, played fine tennis, but proved unable to maintain the pace for five sets, while McLoughlin had received so many congratulations in advance, that the final match found him overanxious to make good the predictions of the other experts, who figured it would be a complete walkover.

For the first time, perhaps, in his career McLoughlin's nerve faltered to such an extent that he was in serious danger at different stages, but he regained it in time to score the coveted championship.

McLoughlin speaks enthusiastically of the fine sportsmanship shown by the Eastern tennis players and fans throughout the trip.

Williams Hardest. At New York, where he and Williams had their first great contest, the galleries were enthusiastically in favor of Williams until he forged ahead and then their sympathies ran the other way, although they were anxious to have the title retained by players of their own section and their applause of McLoughlin's good strokes was quite as generous as was bestowed upon his opponents.

Newport it was the same way and in the case of the challenge match in doubles, the ex-champion, G. F. Touchard and R. D. Little, particularly showed fine sportsmanship. This match had been set for August 20th, but on that date Bundy, McLoughlin's partner, was too ill to play. Touchard and Little immediately asked the tennis committee to defer the match and this was done, with the result that the next day McLoughlin and Bundy won the title in quite easy fashion.

Doubles Easy. McLoughlin thinks that he and

SHOOTING SEASON WILL OPEN SUNDAY

Sportsmen May Go After Everything but Quail and Pheasant, Which Are Protected Until October 1

All aboard for marsh and meadow! Get out your guns, and your favorite shooting coat, for tomorrow will be the first day of the open season for plover, duck, snipe, and in fact all game birds with the exception of doves, quail and pheasant. The dove season has been on for two months, while quail and pheasant can't be legally killed until October 1. This last provision sportsmen should bear in mind, for the season has been shortened six weeks, the birds being given an added two weeks' rest at the beginning of the season, and the entire month of March being lopped off the open time.

Oahu sportsmen are looking forward with keenest anticipation to getting into the field, for reports from the various shooting grounds indicate a goodly number of plover already in sight, while ducks are flying in scattered lots, with reinforcements arriving daily.

The golden plover have made their long journey from the Arctic circle and have been seen in numbers along the shore. About the best place for general shooting will be the flats between Kahuku and Waimanalo, where sportsmen have seen many flocks within the last week. There is fine shooting along the shore from the Pali clear round to Waimanalo, but this is all preserved ground, controlled by the shooting clubs, which pay fancy figures for the privilege of good shooting, and set it too. The amended game laws of the Territory are simple, but as they have been enacted since last shooting season, some sportsmen may be unfamiliar with their provisions. For the benefit of these, they are printed as amended:

ACT 159.
An Act to Amend Section 444 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii, Relating to Game.

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii:

Section 1. Section 444 of the Revised Laws of Hawaii, as hereby amended, be and it is so amended as follows:

"Section 444. It shall be unlawful to take, kill or destroy any migratory wild duck, plover, snipe, turnstone, curlew, tilt or mud hen, between the first day of May and the fifteenth day of September:

To take, kill or destroy any native wild duck between the first day of February and the fifteenth day of September:

To take, kill or destroy any quail or pheasant between the first day of February and the first day of October:

To take, kill or destroy any wild dove or wild pigeon between the first day of February and the first day of July:

To take, gather or destroy the eggs of any wild duck, mud hen, pheasant, dove, pigeon or quail at any time. To buy, sell or offer for sale, transport or have in possession any of said game at any time when it is unlawful to kill the same.

Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of this Section shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars."

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved this 28th day of April, A. D. 1911.

WALTER F. FREAR,

Governor of the Territory of Hawaii.

Bundy had a harder time winning the Coast double championship at Los Angeles than in any of the Eastern doubles events which they entered, but also says that he and Bundy played in much better form in the East than they had been able to show on the local courts.

McLoughlin states that it is still uncertain whether W. A. Larned has permanently retired or not. Larned's own declaration to him was: "I think it better for me to drop out this year altogether, and probably next season I may be more keen for it."

McLoughlin thinks that the next championship meeting will be held at Newport, in spite of the present agitation by players of the Middle West to have Chicago adopted.

This point, however, will not be settled until the annual meeting of the United States Lawn Tennis Association in February next.

Colonel Roosevelt has made public his letter to Senator Clapp, refuting the testimony of Archbold in regard to the fund contributed by the latter toward the 1904 campaign.

The Southern Pacific is considering a five-mile bore through the Sierra Nevada mountains, at a cost of \$10,000 to save a 1000-foot grade. Four Arkansas sisters were married at a single ceremony to four young planters of the same State.

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